

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
CHARLOTTE DIVISION

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE
COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

vs.

REX VENTURES GROUP, LLC
d/b/a ZEEKREWARDS.COM, and
PAUL BURKS,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 3:12 cv 519

ORDER

This matter is before the Court upon the Receiver's Application for Fees and Expenses by the Receiver and His Advisors for the Fourth Quarter of 2019, filed December 2, 2020 (the "Application"). The Court has considered the Application as well as the objections of the SEC¹ and for good cause shown, **IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED** that:

1. The Receiver's Application is **GRANTED**.
2. The Receiver and McGuireWoods LLP **SHALL BE AWARDED** an allowance of \$110,691.66 (of which \$22,138.33 will be held back pending further petition to and approval by the Court) for legal services rendered during the Compensation Period set forth in the Application, and \$685.55 for the reimbursement of expenses incurred during the same period.

¹ The SEC's objections are essentially the same as those previously raised. The Court addressed these objections in its Order of November 30, 2018 overruling the SEC's objections to the Receiver's Third Quarter of 2017 Fee Application. (Doc. No. 714).

3. FTI Consulting, Inc. **SHALL BE AWARDED** an allowance of \$20,344.50 (of which \$4,068.90 will be held back pending further petition to and approval by the Court) for services rendered during the Compensation Period.

4. The Receivership Estate **IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED** to immediately pay such amounts and reimburse McGuireWoods LLP and FTI Consulting, Inc. for approved expenses.

Signed: December 28, 2020

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Graham C. Mullen", written over a horizontal line.

Graham C. Mullen
United States District Judge

